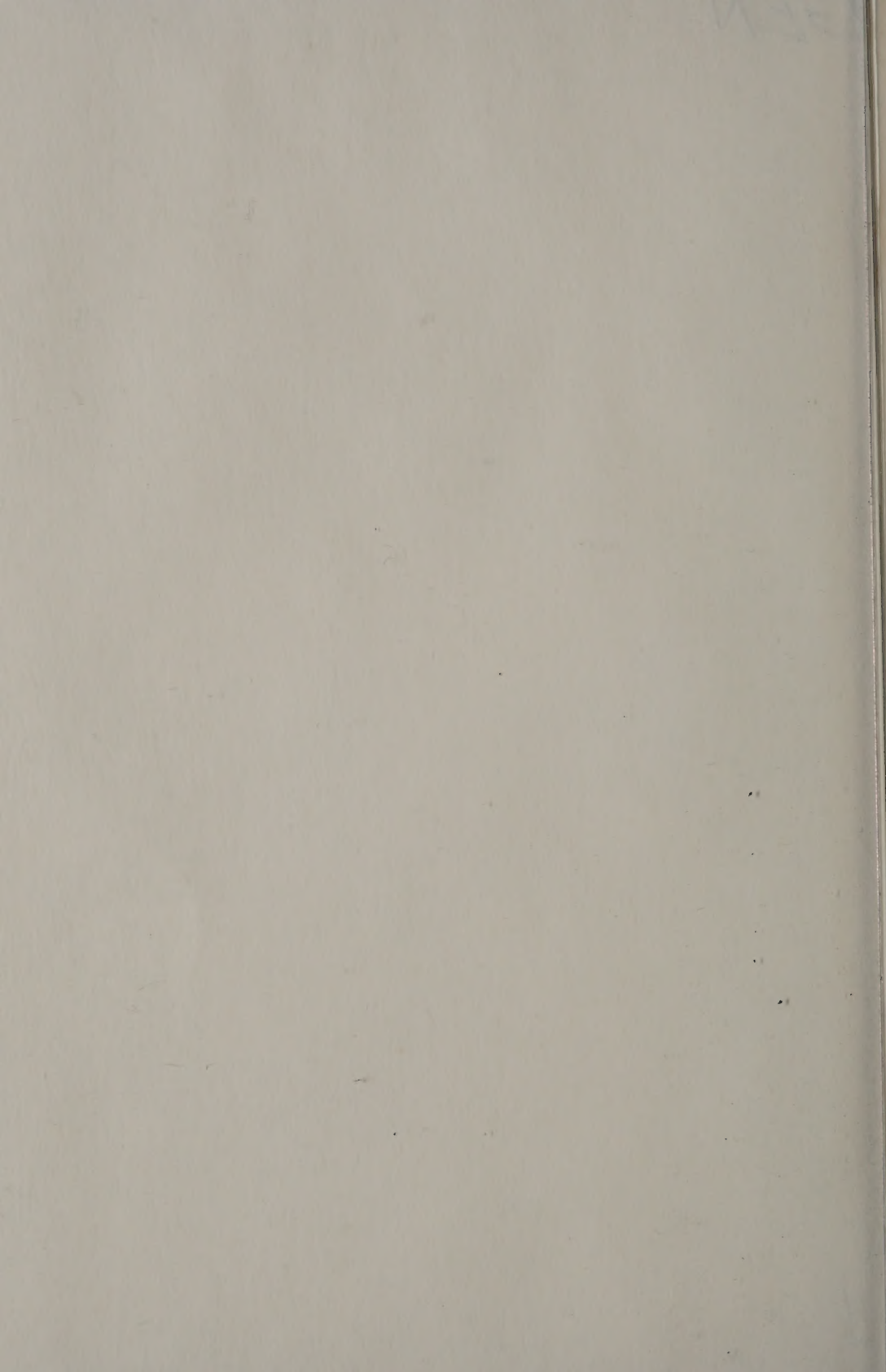


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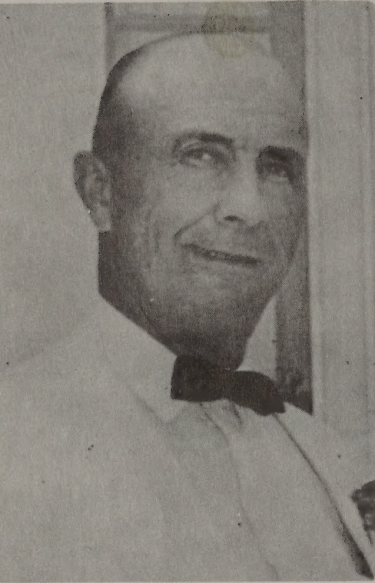
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

of the

TOWN OF PARIS

For the year ending
December 31, 1967

In Memory of Two Dedicated Town Officials



Howard F. Sturtevant
Selectman and Assessor

Howard served the town as an assessor and selectman from 1961 to 1967. His honesty, judgement and sincerity in performance of his duties will be missed by all.



Kenneth L. Russell
Road Commissioner & Road Foreman

Kenneth served the Town of Paris for 20 or more years as road commissioner and road foreman. His ability and knowledge to perform his duties was a great asset to the town. Kenneth will be remembered by his co-workers and those who knew him for a long time.

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FOR THE

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1967

ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

Francis S. Martin, Chairman

Albert S. Carey - Frank N. Strobeck
Howard F. Sturtevant - G. Dewey Thayer

Town Clerk

Glenna T. Gay

Water Commission

Hiram R. Gatchell, Sr. - Lawrence R. Cushman
Thomas L. Clifford

Engineers

Harold R. Edwards, Chief Engineer
John C. Bryant, 1st. Engineer
Stanley B. Newell, 2nd. Engineer

APPOINTED TOWN OFFICERS

-Manager-

Treasurer, Overseer of Poor, Road Commissioner
and Tax Collector
Willis E. Parsons

Sealer of Weights and Measures
William Card

Plumbing Inspector

Hiram R. Gatchell, Sr.

Health Officer

Harry L. Harper, M.D.

Registrar of Voters, Deputy Treasurer & Collector
Glenna T. Gay

Civil Defense Director

Albert S. Carey

Road Foreman

Kenneth L. Russell

IMPORTANT

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Chapter 92, Section 36, Revised Statutes of Maine, 1954:

“Before making an assessment, the assessors shall give reasonable notice in writing to the inhabitants by posting notifications in some public place in the town or shall notify them, in such other way as the town directs, to make and bring in to them true and perfect lists of their polls and all their estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, of which they were possessed on the 1st day of April of the same year. Any resident owner after such notice, or any non-resident owner after being reasonably requested thereto by the assessors, does not bring in such list, he is thereby barred of his right to make application to the assessors or the county commissioners for any abatement of his taxes unless he offers such list with his application and satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time appointed. The request upon non-resident owners may be proved by a notice sent by mail directed to the last known address of the taxpayer or given by any other method that brings notice home to the taxpayer.”

NOTICE TO VETERANS

Veterans or widows of veterans, who may be eligible for poll or property tax exemption, under our Maine Laws, should be familiar with the requirement, whereby, application for tax exemption must be made to assessors before April 1st of the year in which exemption is expected to begin.

The following is taken from Chapter 91A, Public Laws of 1955, section 10, sub-section III G:

“Any person who desires to secure exemption under the provisions of this sub-section shall make written application and file written proof of entitlement on or before the first day of April, in the year in which exemption is first requested, with the assessors of the place in which the person resides; and the assessors shall thereafter grant such exemption to any person while he is so qualified or until they are notified of reason or desire for discontinuance.”

Report of Town Manager
Town of Paris, Maine
1967

It is a privilege to report the transactions of the Town of Paris for 1967 in this annual report. I will also mention some of the improvements made with our town road, State Aid and Town Road Improvement money.

During 1967 we improved Barrows Street by removing trees and widening the entrance onto River Street. We widened Skillings Avenue from Paris Farmers Union to Route #26. We widened the Fred Corbett road on Streaked Mountain and also the town road from High to the Frank Plummer farm. This was done so the snow removal problem could be solved. The section of road on King Hill from the King Estate to Konsto Cummings, being an asphalt surface, was in such bad condition that it had to be rebuilt. We have improved the drainage problem, but more gravel needs to be applied before this section is re-tarred. The new section of Western Avenue was completed as voted at town meeting.

The balance of \$2666., Jan. 1, 1967 of State Aid construction money was paid to the State of Maine. This amount with the State matching money, the bonus for reconstruction, plus \$10,000. of a special State Aid grant making a total of approximately \$20,000., was expended on the section of the Hebron Road which was started in 1965.

Our Town Road Improvement money, a State grant of \$7200., was spent on Brett Hill, starting at the Rawson entrance and extending approximately 8/10 of a mile. This stretch of construction will need to settle for at least one year before it will be suitable for a tar coating.

In our tar account for the year, over 85,000 gallons of tar and asphalt was purchased. Approximately two miles of new construction had two applications. It is estimated that from 18 to 20 miles of streets and roads had a sealer coat of asphalt applied in 1967.

In conclusion to this road report I would like to pay tribute to Kenneth Russell, our road commissioner and foreman for the Town of Paris for over 20 years. His capable work, honesty and sincerity in performance of his duties will be remembered for a long time by

all residents of the Town of Paris.

In making a report of other municipal expenditures in various accounts of town government, the year ended with a net balance of \$37,542.91. All accounts ended with a balance except four, which had overdrafts amounting to \$1409.10. Of this amount, \$1214.63 was in the snow removal account.

It is impossible to itemize fully all expenditures in all of the appropriations in our annual report. We have tried to give you as sound information as possible. After receiving this report, if there are any questions which you need answered, or any information about expenditures that are not itemized, we will do our best to give that information to you here at the town office.

I wish to thank the Selectmen, my highway crew, my office employees, the elected officials and employees of all other departments for their cooperation during this past year.

Respectfully submitted
Willis E. Parsons
Town Manager

ASSESSORS REPORT

Amount of resident real estate	\$4,445,220.
Amount of non-resident real estate	<u>669,635.</u>
Total real estate	\$5,114,855.
Amount of resident personal estate	\$1,281,135.
Amount of non-resident personal estate	<u>629,870.</u>
	\$1,911,005.
Total valuation	\$7,025,860.
Total valuation of land	\$1,110,380.
Total valuation of buildings	\$4,615,975.
Gain in valuation over last year	\$ 106,420.

APPROPRIATED AND ASSESSED

Town Officers	\$ 12,500.
Officers Expense	8,500.
Miscellaneous	3,000.
Traffic Patrol	800.
Police Account	9,000.
Fire Department	7,500.
Fire Station	2,000.
Fire Alarm System	1,500.
Fire Hose	1,000.
Hydrant Removal	13,140.
Street Lights	13,500.
Civilian Defense & Public Safety	800.
Town Dump	1,500.
Sewer Account	2,000.
Public Health Nurse	400.
Public Health Nurse Supplies	350.
Highways	23,000.
Snow Removal	24,000.
Tarring Streets	19,000.
Sidewalks	1,000.
Garage Enlargement	5,000.
Town Poor	8,000.
Mental Health Program	485.
Aid to Dependent Children	2,000.

Interest	1,400.
Traffic Signal	4,000.
Social Security	2,500.
Group Insurance	1,000.
Insurance	2,000.
Memorial Day	250.
State of Maine Publicity	300.
Care of Cemeteries	1,400.
Elm Disease	2,500.
Pine Blister Rust	600.
Care of Public Parks	1,300.
South Paris Public Library	3,500.
Hamlin Memorial Library	100.
Norway-Paris Recreation	<u>12,000.</u>
Total Appropriations	\$192,825.00
County Tax	20,750.00
S. A. D. #17	327,261.78
Overlay	<u>12,353.14</u>
Total commitment	\$553,189.92

Abstract from Assessors' Report for the
State Assessors for the Year, 1967

Rate of Taxation, .072; \$72.00 per thousand val.
Number of polls not taxed, 170
Number of Polls taxes, 776
Amount assessed on each poll, \$3.00

Livestock

Taxable neat cattle	\$ 38,960.
Domestic fowl	11,250.
Other livestock	<u>2,525.</u>
Total amount of taxable livestock	\$ 52,735.

All Other Personal Property

Industrial Stock	\$ 70,850.
Stock-in-trade	314,025.
Machinery and Equipment	578,225.
Watercraft	13,315.
Wood, lumber and logs	70,500.

Furniture, Fixtures, etc.	18,850.
Other taxable personal property	<u>181,005.</u>
Total amount of other property	\$1,246,770.
Total amount of taxable livestock	<u>52,735.</u>

Total amount of personal property \$1,299,505.

Railroads	\$ 14,100.
Light & Power Companies	\$163,400.
Wood Working Mills	\$365,800.
Tannery	\$214,500.
Canneries	\$ 92,200.

1966 Tax Liens on File

Batchelder, Lanny etals	\$ 35.00
Bryant, Gerald	68.98
Buehl, John	120.55
Cossar, Percy & Marylin	278.58
Hart, Harland	36.32
Jackson, James & Margaret	196.70
Littlefield, Donald & Lillian	97.30
McAllister, Reynald & Priscilla	88.58
Mullen, Albert & Priscilla	89.00
McInnes, Maurice	397.55
Jones, Harold & Winnifred	907.40
Slattery, Roy	102.97
Chenery, Clayton	80.31
Swan, Kenneth & Louise (Charles St.)	<u>40.65</u>
	\$2539.89

Tax Acquired Property

Frost, Ella	\$ 94.38
Grover, Mahlon	223.59
Johnson, William	21.40
Hatfield, Herbert & Marjorie	94.60
Swan, Kenneth & Louise	<u>44.43</u>
	\$ 478.40

1967 Poll Taxes Receivable
December 31, 1967

Allen, Paul	\$ 3.00
* Ames, John	3.00
Bartlett, Raymond	3.00
Batchelder, Everett	3.00
Bedard, Linwood	3.00
Benedix, James	3.00
Billings, Daniel	3.00
Britton, Frank	3.00
* Britton, Lewis	3.00
Brown, O. Walter	3.00
Bryant, Gerald	3.00
Callina, John	3.00
Campbell, William	3.00
Cannell, William	3.00
Card, Frank	3.00
Chase, Leo	3.00
Chenery, Clayton	3.00
Collette, Peter	3.00
Cossar, Percy	3.00
Cummings, Eino	3.00
Currier, George, Jr.	3.00
Curtis, John	3.00
* Cushman, Richard	3.00
* Cushman, Thomas	3.00
Daigle, Roland	3.00
Damon, Frank, Jr.	3.00
* Davis, Sheldon	3.00
Dunlap, Orin	3.00
* Eells, Norman	3.00
* Estes, Roland	3.00
Everett, Eugene	3.00
Farrington, Frank	3.00
* Files, John	3.00
Foster, Bruce	3.00
* Garland, William	3.00
Goddard, Alvin	3.00
Guilford, Donald	3.00
Hammond, Gerald	3.00
Hart, Harlan	3.00
* Harvell, Clayton	3.00

Hatfield, Herbert	3.00
Heikkinen, Robert	3.00
Heikkinen, Walter	3.00
* Hodgdon, Alonzo, Jr.	3.00
Hollis, Earle	3.00
* Howe, David	3.00
Howe, Marshall	3.00
Kilgore, Gerald	3.00
Kimball, Wyman	3.00
* King, John	3.00
Knights, Charles	3.00
LaBay, Richard	3.00
Leach, Bernard	3.00
Leonard, Berton	3.00
* Levine, Eugene	3.00
* Marston, Herbert	3.00
Martin, Walter	3.00
Mason, Stewart	3.00
Maxim, David	3.00
* May, Rodney	3.00
* Merrill, Roger	3.00
Micklton, Clarence	3.00
Moffett, William	3.00
Moore, Harold	3.00
Morang, Charles	3.00
Mullen, Albert	3.00
MacGown, Matthew	3.00
McAllister, Loy	3.00
* McAllister, Reynald	3.00
McInnes, Maurice	3.00
McPherson, John	3.00
Newton, Alvin	3.00
Nurmi, Oiva	3.00
Paine, Gordon	3.00
Papke, Robert	3.00
Piirainen, Eino	3.00
Pulkkinen, Omer	3.00
Rawding, Edwin	3.00
Rawson, Donald	3.00
Reed, Walter	3.00
Ryerson, Frank	3.00
Scribner, Bourdon	3.00
Seilonen, Eino	3.00
* Smith, Larry	3.00

Smith, Robert E.	3.00
Stearns, Ronald	3.00
* Stevens, Archie	3.00
Stevens, Kenneth	3.00
Strout, Glenroy	3.00
Strout, Loring, Sr.	3.00
Sturtevant, Clifford	3.00
* Swallow, C. Perley	3.00
Swan, Kenneth (Charles St.)	3.00
Tilley, Wayne	3.00
Titus, Warren	3.00
Trask, Floyd	3.00
Trimm, Ronald	3.00
Tripp, Daniel	3.00
Turner, Arnold	3.00
Tuttle, William, Jr.	3.00
Twitchell, Francis	3.00
Twitchell, Roger	3.00
Walker, Raymond	3.00
Ward, Mahlon	3.00
Wilkinson, Richard	3.00
Wing, Donald	3.00
Winslow, Philip	3.00
* Woodworth, William	3.00

1967 Real Estate & Personal
Taxes Receivable
December 31, 1967

Atkinson, Gertrude	\$ 43.20
Barker, Ida	144.00
Batchelder, Lanny etals	43.20
Berry, Richard	47.40
Britton, Frank	57.60
Britton, Lewis	46.80
Bryant, Gerald	86.40
Buehl, John	216.00
Bumpus, Richard	9.60
Bumpus, Richard	194.40
Cannell, William	100.80
Carman, Charles	47.40
Chapman, Millard	453.60
Chenery, Clayton	100.80
Coffin, Arlene	158.40
Collette, Peter	174.80
Cossar, Percy	367.20
Cummings, Richard	144.00
Currier, George, Jr.	180.00
Curtis, John	10.80
Cushman, Thomas	144.00
Daigle, Roland	331.20
Daigle, Roland	28.80
DeWolfe, Ruby	274.00
Dunlap, Orin	86.40
* Eells, Norman	633.60
* Estes, Roland	194.40
* Damon, Frank	36.00
Everett, Leslie R.	117.00
Files, John	72.00
Goss, Fred	25.20
Guilford, Donald	280.80
Haines, Reba	21.60
Halterman, Virgil	9.00
Hammond, Richard	270.00
Hart, Harland	57.60
Heikkinen, Walter	115.20
Hodgdon, Alonzo, Jr.	90.00

Hollis, Earle	7.20
Howe, Marshall	144.00
Jackson, James	273.60
Kahkonen, Robert	43.20
Kilgore, Gerald	158.40
King, John	216.00
Knights, Charles	122.40
Knights, Charles	28.80
LaBay, Richard	122.40
Leach, Bernard	79.20
Leach, Byron Estate	360.00
Littlefield, Donald	122.40
Lord, Olive	7.20
Lovejoy, L. Neil, Jr.	446.40
Marston, Edith	57.60
* Marston, Herbert	50.40
Maxim, Pearl	100.80
* Merrill, Roger	345.60
Moody, Vira	252.00
Noore, Harold	57.60
Morang, Charles	79.20
Mullen, Albert	122.40
McAllister, Reynald	158.40
McInnes, Maurice	583.20
Neimi, Ralph	230.40
* Niskanen, Edwin	43.20
Norton, Vernon	7.20
Paine, Roger	28.80
Papke, Robert	540.00
Raban, William	410.40
Ramsay, Marilyn	218.88
Rawson, Donald	363.60
Reed, Walter	57.60
Robbins, Myra	59.40
* Scribner, Boardman	108.00
Seilonen, Eino	201.60
Seilonen, Helen	36.00
Smith, Caroline	68.00
Smith, Larry	21.60
Stevens, Kenneth	86.40
* Stewart, Campbell	64.80
Strout, Glenroy	43.20

Sturtevant, Howard Estate	1324.80
Swan, Kenneth L. & Louise	50.40
Thomas, Winnie	43.20
Trimm, Roland	36.00
Tripp, Daniel	79.20
Twitchell, Francis	79.20
Walker, Raymond	86.40
Wells, Elvis	57.60
Whittemore, Charles, Jr.	115.20
Wilkinson, Richard	115.20
Wing, Donald	252.00
Winslow, Philip	10.80
* Woodworth, William	273.60
NON-RESIDENT:	
Bennett, James	266.40
Bob's Service Station	123.20
* Carne, Lloyd	356.40
Connell, Ruth	14.40
* Covert, Patricia etals	28.80
Damon, Harry E.	187.20
Farris, Betty	14.40
Flint, Maurice	14.40
Gammon, Francis, Jr.	3.60
Gardiner, Robert	168.00
Glover, Malcolm	57.60
Haines, William	72.00
* Harney, Joyce	28.80
Irish, Howard Heirs	194.40
Jones, Harold	3042.00
Kahkonen, Edwin	165.60
McKeen, George	56.60
* Mobil Oil Co.	82.08
Modern Music Co.	28.80
Rich, William	50.40
Slattery, Roy	144.00
Twitchell, Alice	28.80
Wise, Ronald	283.36
* Wood, Gard	14.40

*Payment in full after December 31, 1967

Prior Year Tax Receivable

1966

*Scribner, Bourdon

\$ 137.50

1967 Tax Abatements

Allen, Roger, error	\$ 3.00
Batchelder, Everett, not owner	21.60
Bourgois, Thomas, error	7.20
Bryant, Stanley , not owner	7.20
Bryant's Sunoco, no stock 4/1/67	108.00
Colby, O. J., Sr., error	64.80
Curtis, R. Bruce, error in assessment	72.00
Harper, Harry L., " " "	64.80
Hunt, Elliott, " " "	28.80
Jack, Reginald " " "	18.00
Kahkonen, Matti Heirs, error	28.80
Kilgore, Gerald, Jr., error	14.40
Kilgore, Kenneth, error	48.60
McAllister, Guy, error	28.80
New England Tel. & Tel.	14.40
Paine, Dannie, error	21.60
Paine, George, error	43.20
Pietilla, Gerhard, error	46.20
Soccocia, Henry, uncollectible	57.60
Starbird, Donald, paid in Sweden	3.00
Sturtevant, deceased	3.00
Valley, Joseph, over 70	3.00
Whitman, Merle, error	43.20

Town Officers Salaries

Receipts: Appropriations		\$12,500.00
Expended:		
W.E.Parsons, salary	\$6,600.00	
" " " , car, gas etc.	900.00	
Glenna T. Gay, town clerk	500.00	
Francis S. Martin, selectman	466.60	
" " " , assessor	261.00	
Howard F. Sturtevant, selectman & assessor	401.28	
G. Dewey Thayer, selectman	466.60	
" " " , assessor	141.00	
Albert S. Carey, selectman	466.60	
" " " , assessor	80.25	
Frank N. Strobeck, selectman	466.60	
" " " , assessor	111.00	
Harold R. Edwards, fire chief	500.00	
John C. Bryant, 1st. Asst.	350.00	
Stanley B. Newell, 2nd. Asst.	350.00	
Harry L. Harper, health officer	200.00	
Total expenditures		<u>12,260.93</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus		\$ 239.07

Office Expense

Receipts: Appropriation	\$8,500.00	
Miscellaneous receipts	6.60	
From Town Clerk's acct.	<u>2,223.25</u>	
Total receipts		\$10,729.85
Expended:		
Glenna T. Gay, clerk	\$4,075.50	
Patricia D. Snow, clerk	2,423.00	
Masonic Bldg. Trustees-rent	1,850.00	
Donald Lewis, janitor	152.96	
Janitors supplies	43.63	
AAA Office Equipment service	50.00	
Lights & telephone	358.36	
Postage	145.43	
Printing & Office supplies	<u>456.77</u>	
Total expenditures		<u>9,555.65</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus		\$ 1,174.20

Miscellaneous Account

Receipts:

Appropriation	\$3,000.00
Paris Mfg. Co., rent	325.00
Paris Water Co., radio tel.	300.00
Paris Farmers Union, dividend	24.08
Treas. of State, dog license ref.	182.62
Treas. of State, tel. & tel. tax	2,655.22
Treas. of State, bank stock	310.62
Junk yard permits	40.00
Lien costs, fees, parking fines	
etc.	<u>577.33</u>

Total receipts \$ 7,414.87

Expended:

Arnold Moore, Christmas lights	\$ 268.00
C. M. P. Co., " "	77.70
Charles Phinney, " "	92.33
Gaisford & Preble, P. H. audit	30.00
Treas. of State, audit	516.05
MMA Dues	200.00
Municipal meetings and dues	80.00
The Bethel Citizen, town reports	1,114.29
Elections & town meeting exp.	361.25
Advertising, etc.	249.70
A. E. Martel, valuation materials	108.01
Attorneys' fees for year	130.00
Selectmen & Assessors Exp.	136.57
George Colby, Paris Hill clock	48.00
Watch Shop, " " "	37.00
Eastern Fire Equip., signs	218.14
J. E. O'Donnell, tax maps	241.50
W. H. Card., sealer of weights	10.00
Fred L. Fortier, Jr., serving legal papers	60.40
Postage etc.	77.50
Register of Deeds	44.00
Casco Bank & Trust Co.	13.41
Dana Douglas, surveying lines	17.50
Mildred Paine, transfers	60.80
Railway easements	3.25
W. J. Wheeler, Ins.	<u>159.18</u>
Total expenditures	<u>4,354.58</u>

Balance lapsed to surplus \$ 3,060.29

Highways

Wages paid highway employees, summer roads,
snow removal, dump, dutch elm, new garage,
etc.

Kenneth L. Russell	\$3,915.15
Reginald Linindoll	\$5,744.52
Erland Foster	\$5,167.99
George Farrar	\$5,065.68
Fred Shaw	\$4,847.47
Berton Leonard	\$5,113.92

Summer Roads

Receipts:

Appropriation	\$23,000.00
Paris Mfg. Co.	1,420.00
Treas., State of Maine	2,968.28
Casco Bank & Trust, W.Ave. note	2,000.00
S. A. D. #17	205.64
W. J. Wheeler Co., ins.	750.00
Paris Water Dept.	528.84
A. C. Lawrence, tarring	299.16
Norway-Paris Recreation	150.88
Robert Huotari, culvert	253.01
Tarring, culverts etc.	<u>1,334.36</u>
Total receipts	\$32,910.17

Expended:

Highway payrolls & outside equip	\$12,490.19
Town equipment	11,923.06
Earl Keene, screening	926.00
New England Culvert Co.	1,141.80
Bancroft & Martin, culverts	603.06
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	80.55
Central Me. Power Co.	86.71
Ripley & Fletcher, parts & repairs	694.54
A. W. Walker Co., parts	207.56
R. I. Mitchell Co., parts	412.61
Reynolds Tree Co, spraying	176.95
Lewiston Welding	51.62
L. M. Longley & Son	75.35
Miscellaneous expenses	<u>562.10</u>
Total expenditures	<u>29,432.35</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus	\$ 3,478.07

Winter Roads

Receipts:

Appropriation	\$24,000.00
Canadian Nat'l R. R.	207.28
Wilners Wood Heel Co.	123.75
Norway-Paris Receration Com.	45.60
Goodwins Dairy	117.87
Treas.-State of Maine	3,085.55
Town of West Paris	560.00
Oxford County Agricultural Soc.	308.59
S. A. D. #17	160.00
Hubert Stearns	189.76
Charles Gowell	70.20
H. O. Cornwall Co.	100.28
A. C. Lawrence Co.	164.50
Marion Mott	20.00
Felix Mayblom	25.00
Richard Pratt	8.00
Harry Knight	3.75
Donald Rawson	11.25
Henry Morton	4.00
Bernard Gatchell	10.25
Edwin Gibson	12.00
South Paris Water Co.	33.75
Ripley & Fletcher Co.	109.25
Total receipts	<u>\$29,370.63</u>

Expended:

Highway payroll, town crew	\$10,973.56
" " , spare help	545.50
" " , outside equip.	472.35
" " . town equip.	8,784.80
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt	6,078.56
Chemical Corp., salt	1,312.12
Ripley & Fletcher Co., heat	1,075.55
C. M. P. Co., lights	190.65
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	23.05
Howard Fairfield, cutting edges	382.10
Swans Supply	171.34
Treas.-State of Maine, plowing	
Rte. 26	172.40
Files & O'Keefe Co., parts	142.58
J. W. Penney Co.	84.36
J. P. Cullinan & Co.	37.63

Miscellaneous expenses	<u>138.71</u>
Total expenditures	<u>30,585.26</u>
Overdraft transferred to surplus	\$ 1,214.63

Tar Account

Receipts: Appropriation	\$19,000.00
Tarring driveways	<u>391.50</u>
Total receipts	\$19,391.50
Expended:	
Koppers Co., tar	14,003.49
Blue Rock Quarry, tar	339.46
Town of Paris, payroll	2,726.85
Town Equipment	<u>2,298.69</u>
Total expenditures	<u>19,368.49</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus	\$ 23.01

Sidewalk Account

Receipts: Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
Expended:	
Town payroll	\$ 236.57
R. K. Brown	<u>421.22</u>
Total expenditures	<u>657.79</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus	\$ 342.21

Town Garage Addition

Receipts: Appropriation	\$ 5,000.00
Expended:	
Town payroll	\$ 374.49
Diamond National	1,217.14
Merrill Scrap Iron	30.00
R. K. Brown	430.96
Robert Bickford	983.57
Overhead Door Co.	700.00
Marshall Howe	75.76
Central Maine Plumbing	297.22
Paris Farmers Union	<u>386.37</u>

Swans Building Supply	96.37
Lewis Caron Brick Co.	<u>526.96</u>
Total expenditures	<u>5,118.84</u>
Overdraft transferred to surplus	\$ 118.84

Dutch Elm Account

Receipts:

Appropriation	\$ 2,500.00
Marvin Beebe	30.00
Herbert Somers	40.00
Weston Flint	125.00
Allan Weeks	95.00
Marjorie Guyer	285.00
Elwood Titus	30.00
Marjorie Butterworth	5.00
Mrs. Rupert Tracy	<u>5.00</u>
Total receipts	\$ 3,115.00

Expended:

Allied Tree Service	150.00
Lucas Tree Service	1,949.55
C. L. Smith, spraying	112.50
Town of Paris payroll	<u>518.97</u>
Total expenditures	<u>2,731.02</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus	\$ 383.98

Care of Cemeteries

Receipts: Appropriation	\$ 1,400.00
Expended:	
Riverside Cemetery Assoc.	\$ 1,000.00
William Vallee	273.15
Bolster Monumental Works	6.90
Paris Farmers Union	<u>72.87</u>
Total expenditures	<u>1,352.92</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus	\$ 47.08

Fire Dept.

Receipts:

Appropriation	\$ 7,500.00
Town of West Paris	51.00
H. O. Cornwall Co.	714.45
County of Oxford	60.00
A. C. Lawrence Co.	53.75
Maine Machine Products	11.95
Richard C. Gay	93.00
South Paris Fireman Assoc.	23.43
Kempers Ins.	31.00
Kenneth Kilgore	15.95
Ralph Gardner	12.50
Harold Edwards	37.50
N. Dayton Bolster	8.00
Beans Restaurant	2.00
First Congregational Church	8.00
W. E. Parsons	3.75
Fred Shaw	3.75
Paris Highway Equipment	3.75
Total receipts	\$ 8,633.78

Expended:

Firemen's Payroll	3,337.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	138.80
C. M. P. Co.	133.36
Blanchards Associates	1,665.89
J. H. Butler Co.	933.05
National Chemsearch	148.35
United Auto	206.34
Ripley & Fletcher Co.	59.00
Darling Automobile Co.	137.58
Edwards & Walker	37.20
W. K. T. Q.	25.00
W. J. Wheeler Ins.	704.00
Eastern Fire Equip. Co.	29.62
Arnold Moore	31.00
Riverside Auto	102.15
Smith's Filling Station	36.25
Colby Garage	23.92
A. C. Lawrence Co.	37.07
Paris Farmers Union	28.56
Diamond National	47.20

Miscellaneous expenses	73.38	
Gas & oil from Town of Paris	<u>208.35</u>	
Total expenditures		<u>8,143.58</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus		\$ 490.20

		<u>Fire Station Account</u>
Receipts:		
Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
Expended:		
Ripley & Fletcher Co.	\$ 1,008.82	
C. M. P. Co.	217.57	
Paris Water Co.	25.75	
Harold Edwards	10.00	
Reed Saunders	129.00	
Swan's Building Supply	44.10	
N. D. Bolster Co.	61.10	
Hiram Gatchell	39.73	
Edward Newcomb	2.40	
Bernard Wilson	10.60	
Lewis Caron Brick Co.	157.60	
Paris Farmers Union	<u>12.88</u>	
Total expenditures		<u>1,719.55</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus		\$ 280.45

		<u>Fire Hose Account</u>
Receipts: Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
Expended:		
Maxim Motor Div.	\$ 110.65	
J. H. Butler Co.	<u>889.35</u>	
Total expenditures		<u>1,000.00</u>

		<u>Fire Alarm Account</u>
Receipts: Appropriation		\$ 1,500.00
Expended: Arnold Moore	\$ 405.50	
Clarence Jackson	50.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	360.85	
J. H. Butler Co.	<u>510.10</u>	
Total expenditures		<u>1,326.45</u>
Balance lapsed to surplus		\$ 173.55

Police and Patrol Account

Receipts: Appropriation \$ 9,800.00

Expended:

Fred Fortier	\$ 4,562.00
Clarence Jackson	1,288.75
Francis Thompson	532.50
Floyd Taylor	178.00
Glen Gurney	12.00
Ripley & Fletcher, trading cars	1,550.00
Ripley & Fletcher, oil	43.92
Snow's Tire Co.	89.30
Paris Tire Co.	44.86
Aldrich Motors	19.49
Raymond Knight, radio work	179.50
Glines Sign	9.70
Titus Gulf	57.11
Market Square Shell	58.87
Doug's Sunoco	24.56
W. J. Wheeler Co., Inc.	149.00
L. F. Pike	20.35
Tom Ryan	8.00
Maine Chiefs of Police	6.00
United Auto Supply	29.69
Town of Paris, gas and oil	881.98

Total expenditures 9,745.58

Balance transferred to surplus \$ 54.42

Civilian Defense and Public Safety

Receipts: Appropriation	\$ 800.00
Treas., State of Maine	368.11
Treas., United States	<u>35.65</u>

Total receipts \$ 1,203.76

Expended:

Albert Carey	469.10
Treas., State of Maine	66.00
U. S. Civil Defense	7.50
Dept. of Education	11.75
Bee Kay Parade Equip.	21.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	19.50
Masonic Bldg. Trustees	200.00

Block Co.	140.00
Swan's Supply	26.30
William Grover	15.00
Courtney Nason	57.10
Robert Moorehead	5.00
Jack Quinn	2.50
Harlan Spiller	13.50
Week's Handy Store	11.02
W. J. Wheelers Co.	3.00
Darling Automobile Co.	40.85
Clifford's Rexall	2.83
Lloyd Drinkwater	1.00
R. Kyllonen	5.03
Paris Farmers Union	8.34
Postage	10.00
Truck lettering	20.00
Town of Paris, gas	3.00
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Total expenditures	1,159.32
Balance lapsed to surplus	\$ 44.44

Town Dump

Receipts:

Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00
A. L. Stewart Co.	36.00
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Total receipts	\$ 1,536.00

Expended:

Reginald Linindoll, dozer	\$ 228.50
Ernest Robbins	350.00
William Vallee	45.00
Town of Paris payroll	354.24
Heart of Maine Exterminators	100.00
George Paine	30.00
Central Me. Plumbing & Heating	15.21
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Total expenditures	1,122.95
Balance transferred to surplus	\$ 413.05

Town of Paris Poor

Receipts: Appropriation

\$ 8,000.00

Expended:

Case #1	\$ 739.92
#2	307.93
#3	84.99
#4	29.67
#5	82.12
#6	39.89
#7	230.77
#8	44.88
#9	14.58
#10	53.25
#11	20.00
#12	449.81
#13	38.00
#14	37.50
#15	177.09
#16	25.00
#17	282.88
#18	56.00
#19	<u>595.77</u>

3,310.05

Old Age Assistance

Case #1	559.05
#2	12.00
#3	221.02
#4	306.83
#5	336.01
#6	192.35
#7	306.60
#8	200.00
#9	<u>5.30</u>

2,139.16

Total expended

5,449.21

Balance lapsed to surplus

\$ 2,550.79

State of Maine Poor

Receipts: State of Maine \$ 902.05

Transferred to Acct. Receivable 229.56

Total receipts \$ 1,131.61

Expended: Selectmen's warrants

1,131.61

Other Town Poor

Receipts:

Town of Norway	\$ 253.16
Harrison	67.83
Naples	9.31
Rumford	380.92
Bethel	8.50
Gray	5.22
Otisfield	32.38
Mexico	86.19
West Paris	23.63
Hebron	56.92
Machias	<u>80.01</u>

Total receipts \$ 1,004.07

Expended: Selectmen's warrants 1,004.07

Aid to Dependent Children

Receipts: Appropriation \$ 2,000.00

Expended: State of Maine 2,070.63

Overdraft transferred to surplus \$ 70.63

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF
CIVIL DEFENSE AND PUBLIC SAFETY

The South Paris Civil Defense & Public Safety has had many projects and activities during the year of 1967. I will try to list a few of them.

In March the South Paris Emergency Operations Center of Civil Defense, was host to two troops, #574 and #571 of Girl Scouts from the First Congregational Church, under the leadership of Mrs. June Andrews and Mrs. Virginia Litchfield. This group of 50 girls listened to an explanation of Civil Defense and its responsibilities to the people of South Paris by operations officer, Benjamin Twitchell. A tour of the center with demonstrations and material passed out to the girls to take home, prompted many interesting questions and discussions by all.

April saw a large group of 45 adults complete the MEDICAL SELF HELP course, sponsored by the Paris Civil Defense Organization and under the direction of your

director "Jim" Carey, Benjamin Twitchell as Instructor and Assistant Director Courtney Nason as projectionist, with James Verrill, Francis Thompson, Walter Fox, Donovan Dodge and Lindley Fortier, members of the Civil Defense Staff, assisting. Eleven towns were represented by students of this class.

In March, at the request of Mrs. Betty Farrar, of the Andrews Nursing Home, your director was happy to secure Mrs. Bernice Rideout, State Civil Defense Women's Coordinator, as speaker for a large group of nurses and nursing home personnel.

We, of the Paris Civil Defense, are very proud of our "RESCUE TEAM" made up of 8 trained men, all trained in the use of our Rescue Vehicle. These men are volunteer firemen as well as Civil Defense members and have worked and trained hard under the direction of your Fire Chief Edwards, whom you recall went away to Rescue School a couple of years ago (as well as W. Fox and L. Brewer) long before we were loaned the Rescue Vehicle. This vehicle has answered to ten alarm fires and actively participated in a drowning at Bryant Pond, drowning at Waterford and an accident at railroad crossing in South Paris. This vehicle and team participated in demonstration at Thompson Pond, put on by Androscoggin C.D. and the Coast Guard this past summer.

Many hours were spent by the members of the Civil Defense working on the surplus truck bought in 1966, getting it ready for the paint job, both inside and out and eventually the job was completed, painted in Civil Defense colors and lettered ---"South Paris Civil Defense"----. Only cost was paint and supplies to do the work. This vehicle and the rescue vehicle took an active part in your Beanhole festival. Plans are underway to make this truck an emergency feeding van and when completed it will be available to all local organizations.

It may be of interest to you to know that South Paris has two licensed emergency shelters, one in the Casco Bank Building and one in the Masonic Building. Both shelters were completely stocked with emergency rations and equipment as provided by the Federal Government, upon completion of certain safety factors. These supplies are inspected yearly by Federal personnel. We need more shelters and if any local business has base-

ment room they would like to have utilized for this important project, please notify your director. The two shelters we now have are for only 265 people.

Meetings are held nearly every month. We welcome any (men or women) who are interested and invite you to visit us and join our organization if you so desire. All meetings are opened to the public.

I wish to thank all the members of the Paris Civil Defense organization for their help, interest and cooperation this past year and I also thank the citizens of Paris for their support, without which we would be unable to have an active Civil Defense.

Albert "Jim" Carey, Director
South Paris Civil Defense &
Public Safety.

GAISFORD & PREBLE
Public Accountants and Auditors
Norway, Maine
January 15, 1968

Norway-Paris Recreation Commission
223 Main Street
Norway, Maine

Gentlemen:

We have examined the accounts and records of the Treasurer of the Norway-Paris Recreation Commission for the period March 10, 1967 to December 31, 1967. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and included such tests of the accounting records and such other procedures considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Analysis of Budgets, Receipts and Expenditures present fairly the financial position of the Norway-Paris Recreation Commission as of December 31, 1967 and the results of its operations for the period then ended in conformity with the generally accepted accounting principles.

Gaisford & Preble

NOTE: This audit report may be examined at both Norway and Paris town offices, as well as at the office of Gaisford & Preble in Norway.

Report of the
Norway-Paris Recreation Commission

Throughout the year the Norway-Paris Recreation Commission has provided a range of recreation activities, programs and facilities for people of all ages. Children, youth and adults were given numerous opportunities to enjoy themselves during their leisure. Our citizens expressed themselves in an atmosphere of fun and enjoyment through: a recreation center for youth; three playgrounds; swimming; baseball; a community band; softball; flag football; golf; skiing; ice skating; basketball; concerts; dances; sliding area; movies; and numerous special events.

A strong case has been built for the support of recreation as a service of local government, demonstrated by the many citizens taking part. In one or more activities, 23% of the total population participated in the program.

The key to the success of the Recreation Commission is leadership. Leadership, paid and voluntary, has been an essential ingredient of the program on all levels. The many young men and women who have demonstrated their sincere interest in various leadership roles was outstanding.

A number of civic groups, private organizations and businesses are to be congratulated for their cooperative efforts in assisting the recreation program. Even though the commission is a municipal service supported by local taxes, it is dependent upon the support of interested groups and organizations.

The commission would like to take this opportunity to express its appreciation to all those individuals, groups, and organizations who have contributed to the program in any way.

Respectfully submitted,
Mike G. Rozos, Director of
Recreation

Evelyn A. Harper
John J. Kelley
William L. Wright
MEMBERS OF COMMISSION.

Please return this form to the Board of Assessors by April 1st.

LIST OF POLLS AND ESTATES

Not exempt from taxation and filed pursuant to R. S. 1954, Chap. 91-A,
Sec. 34

To the Assessors of the Municipality of Paris, Maine:

- 1. I am a legal resident of
- 2. Poll Tax if male resident, between 21 and 70. []
a. If exemption is claimed has application been filed? Yes..... No.....
- 3. REAL ESTATE: List briefly each separate parcel subject to taxation on April 1 of the year for which this list is filed, and located in the municipality in which this return is filed: List only changes from last year —

	Location (street or road)	Area of Land (lot dimension or acres)	Buildings (dwelling, barn, garage)
a.
b.
c.

(If additional space is required, use and attach extra sheets)
Have any of the buildings listed been constructed or altered since the previous April 1st? Yes..... No..... If so, identify building and give brief description of construction or alteration.

- 4. PERSONAL PROPERTY: List number and value of items owned or in possession and subject to taxation.
- | | Value |
|--|---------|
| a. Stock in trade | \$..... |
| b. Industrial stock — raw material | \$..... |
| unfinished goods | \$..... |
| finished goods | \$..... |

(list items below or on separate sheets) giving make, model, age, condition, original cost, present value. Include chain saws and garden tractors \$

e. Snow Travelers—Make

Year..... H. P. \$

f. Wood, lumber, logs—Average inventory during preceding year.			
Amt. wood	cords	.	\$.....
Bd. ft. lumber	\$.....
Bd. ft. logs	\$.....
g. Furniture & fixtures—Store \$.....			
Office.....	Commercial.....	.	\$.....
Pianos & electric organs over \$300 value		.	\$.....
T. V. Size.....	Console []	.	\$.....
	Table []	.	\$.....

h. Dogs—4 months or over—number in each box:

Male []

Female []

Female Spayed []

i. Livestock - Dairy - Total No. of cattle all ages.....

No. under 18 months.....

No. over 18 months not
freshened.....

No. of bulls and
list ages

Total Value \$.

j. Livestock - Beef - Total No. of cattle all ages.....

No. under 18 months.....

No. over 18 months not
freshened.....

No. of bulls and list
ages

Total Value \$.

k. Livestock—No. horses..... No. sheep.....

No. fowl No. & age of chickens.....

Total Value \$.

l. Other property, identify:

..... \$.

Remarks or Additional Information:

The foregoing is submitted in compliance with Section 34 of Chapter 91-A of the Revised Statutes of 1954, and is true and correct to the best of my belief as of April 1 of the current year.

I understand that the assessors may require me to make oath of the foregoing; and that any of them may require me to answer in writing all proper inquiries as to the nature, situation and value of any property liable to be taxed in the State of Maine; and that a refusal or neglect to answer such further inquiries and subscribe the same will bar an appeal to the county commissioners.

.....
date

.....
signature of taxpayer

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER

Report of the citizens of the Town of Paris:

The following companies were organized April 1, 1967

Company #1

Walter Fox
William Grover
Wilbur Viles
Wyman Kimball
Ronald Boyce
Albert Carey
Raynold McAllister
Lawrence Herrick
Andrew Altamuro
Alvin Goddard

Company #2

Herbert Stone
Erlon Curtis
Harold Mitchell
Gene Mitchell
Leslie Spinney
Herman Barnett
Robert Douglas
Roland Estes
Wayne Carro
Francis Weeks
Bruce Curtis

Company #3

William Komulainen
Robert Bickford
William Tuttle
Edward Swett
Lawrence Brewer, Sr.
Bruce Thayer
Herbert Mayberry
Lloyd DeCato
Lawrence Cushman
John Frank

Company #4

Frank Strobeck
Reed Saunders
Donald Witham
William Snow
Donovan Dodge
Lawrence Estes
George Currier
Freeland Witham
Darrell Willard
Francis Thompson

We were fortunate in adding seven new men to the department this year.

During the year we had 56 calls which would be itemized as follows:

- 2 car fires
- 11 building fires
- 5 grass fires
- 7 oil burners
- 3 woods fires
- 17 miscellaneous
- 3 calls to Norway
- 1 call to West Paris
- 9 alarms
- 1 false alarm
- 5 chimney fires

Since we acquired the Paris Hill four-wheel drive Chevrolet, we have rebuilt it to use on woods and

grass fires. We repiped it from three fourths to one inch pipe. It carries ten Indian Tanks plus brooms, shovels, and rakes and has a new power booster reel and hose. We also acquired a portable pump. It is a four cylinder continental engine which we converted from hand crank to electric start. We rebuilt a trailer and mounted the pump and added suction hose, strainer and nozzle. This trailer also carries five lengths of one inch and a half hose, and can be hauled by the four wheel drive truck.

We have started a building added on to the side of the station for the Rescue Truck. We have the footing all in and have all the cement blocks to finish come warm weather. We were able to purchase 650 feet of hose, a new alarm box #45, to be installed at the intersection of Emery Avenue and the Buckfield Road; two Scott air pack alarms, ten pair of boots, eight coats and two inch and a half nozzles and five thousand feet of alarm wire.

In submitting this report we wish to thank everyone especially the municipal officers, firemen and ladies auxiliary for their help and interest in the department this year.

Respectfully submitted,

Chief Harold (Bud) Edwards
1st. Asst. John C. Bryant
2nd. Asst. Stanley B. Newell

Town Clerk's Report

To the Selectmen and the Citizens of the
Town of Paris, Maine:

Since Chapter 25, Sec. 397A, R. S. 1954 states that no itemized list of births, marriages or deaths may be published in the town report, the following is a list of the total records received for filing for the year:

VITAL STATISTICS:

Death records-----	127
Marriage records-----	54
Birth records-----	51

DOG LICENSES:

Male dogs-----	253
Female dogs-----	34
Spayed Female dogs-----	192
Kennels-----	9

HUNTING & FISHING LICENSES:

Combination-----	221
Hunting-----	445
Fishing-----	381
Jr. Hunting-----	89

UNIFORM CODE FILINGS----- 747

Respectfully submitted,
Glenna T. Gay, Town Clerk

Report of Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Selectmen of the Town of Paris:

I herewith submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the Town of Paris for 1967.

Number of gas tanks-----	27
Number of oil pumps-----	3
Number of scales-----	69

Respectfully submitted,
William H. Card
Sealer of Weights & Measures

Maine Department of Health and Welfare
Division of Public Health Nursing, Bureau of Health
Annual Report of Public Health Nursing Services in
South Paris for the Year 1967

The public health nurse is a staff member of the Department of Health and Welfare, Division of Public Health Nursing. The nurse works in conjunction with the other health professions and resource persons in the community; physicians, town and school officials, hospital and clinic personnel, citizen groups, and other medical and social service workers. The objective of public health nursing is to promote community programs that will serve individuals and families in the prevention and control of disease, in the promotion of physical and mental well-being, and in the care and rehabilitation of the sick and disabled. In South Paris the community program includes four categories; maternal and child health, communicable disease control, non-communicable diseases, and community projects.

In South Paris the maternal and child health program is comprised primarily of Child Health Conferences, clinics designed to stimulate continuous health supervision, physical examinations, and immunizations for the well child who is not under the care of a private physician. One hundred and ninety-nine children attended the four combined South Paris-Norway Child Health Conferences with Dr. Warren Hazelton attending physician. Fifteen children received physical examinations. The following immunizations were given: 53 smallpox, 129 diphtheria-pertussis-tetanus, 70 polio(Salk), and 19 measles. The nurse also offers health supervision and instruction to expectant mothers and to mothers and infants. Only 18 visits were made in the interest of maternal and infant care probably because this service is unknown to the community.

In the control of communicable diseases, the public health nurse is active in tuberculosis case finding, supervises convalescence of patients discharged from the hospital, and encourages inactive tuberculosis patients to continue the recommended regime.

In venereal disease control the nurse visits reported cases, locates persons who may have been exposed to the disease, and encourages early treatment in an effort to cure and to prevent the spread of the infection. The control of childhood diseases is prevention through immunizations. In actual cases the nurse provides nursing care to help prevent complications. Twenty-seven visits were made in an effort to control communicable diseases.

In cases of acute and chronic non-communicable diseases 398 home and collateral visits were made to provide direct nursing care and/or to develop plans of care to rehabilitate patients to their optimum health potentials. Sixty-seven visits were made to aid and offer support to persons under mental stress. Functioning under physicians' recommendations, the public health nurse acts as a liaison between family and community resources to interpret, teach and help implement treatment at home.

Community-wide the public health nurse shares in planning programs with workers in the fields of health education and welfare. In addition to the areas mentioned above, the nurse has participated with: the Norway-Paris Health Council in the interest of community activities; the Southern Oxford County Mental Regardation Association to promote plans for the local school for mentally retarded children; and the school nurse to coordinate state and local efforts in the care of school-age children.

Sincere appreciation is extended to the citizens of South Paris who contributed to the effectiveness of the public health program.

Respectfully submitted,
Frances Coulombe, R. N.
Public Health Nurse

State of Maine
DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT
Augusta, Maine

January 15, 1968

Board of Selectmen
Paris, Maine

In accordance with your request, an audit has been conducted of the financial records of the Town of Paris for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1967.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as were considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the exhibits contained in this report present fairly the financial position of the Town of Paris, and the results of the financial operations for the period indicated.

Respectfully submitted,

Armand G. Sansoucy
State Auditor

TOWN OF PARIS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1967

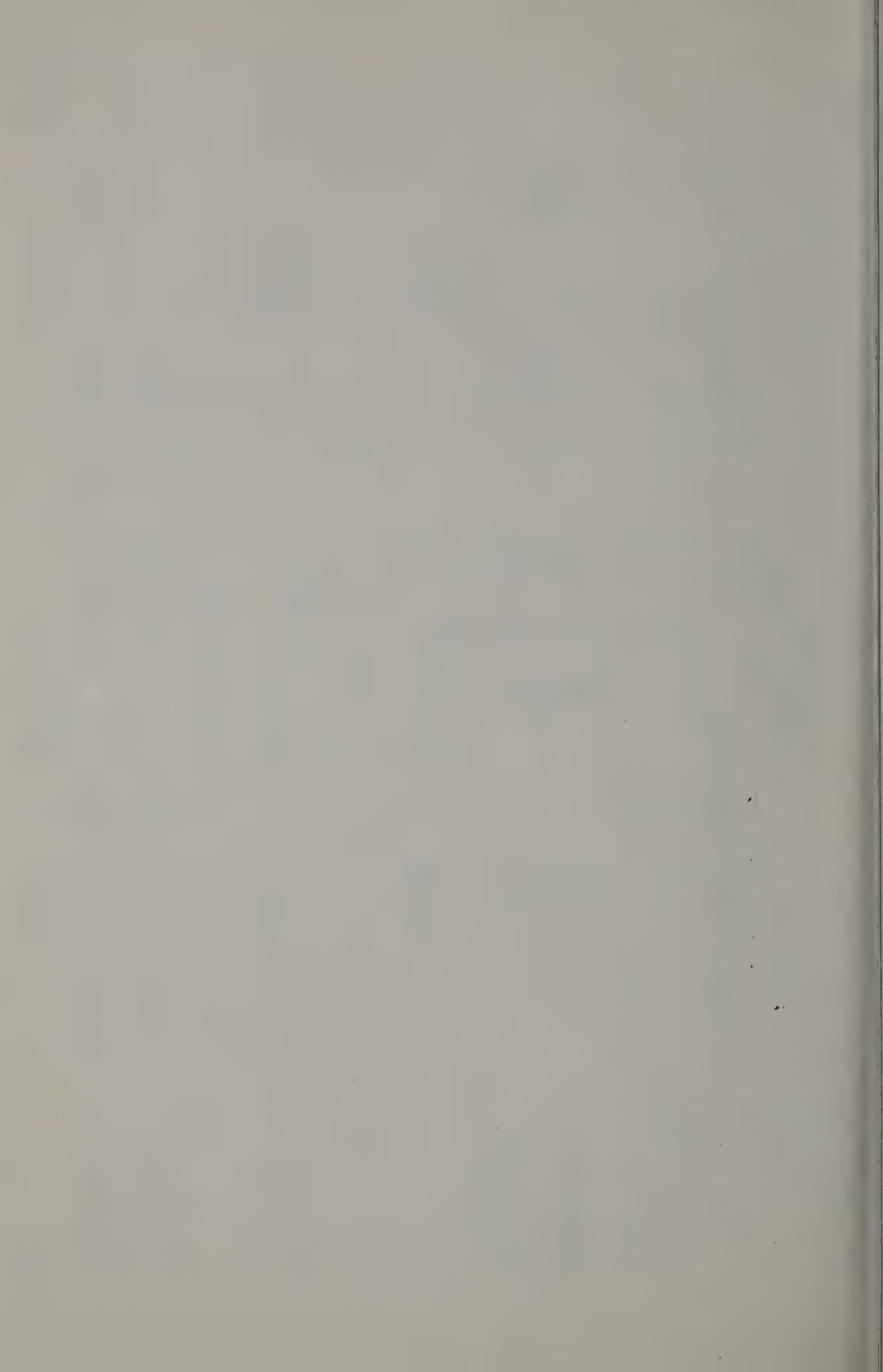
AUDITOR'S COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVING
THE FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS...The audit indicated that expenditures had been made in excess of amounts authorized by the voters. The accounts involved are as follows:

Snow Removal	\$1,214.63
Town Garage - Rem.	118.84
Aid to Dependent Children	70.63
Traffic Patrol	5.00

TOWN OF PARIS
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

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	December 31, 1967	December 31, 1966	December 31, 1966
ASSETS			LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS
Cash on Hand and In Bank:			
General	\$70,933.65	\$74,450.82	
Petty	100.00	100.00	\$ 200.00
Investment	\$ 71,083.65	\$ 74,550.82	
Accounts Receivable	10.00	10.00	
Taxes Receivable	7,446.23	78.89	\$15,214.27
Tax Idems	20,365.02	15,319.36	23,615.49
Tax Acquired Property	2,542.57	1,446.36	38,889.76
Equity In Real Estate	494.70	641.21	3,082.12
Contract Agreement -	4,354.21	4,354.21	
Paris Manufacturing Company -			
Water Main	1,000.00		90.00
TOTAL	\$107,246.38	\$ 97,900.85	\$ 97,900.85
ASSETS			LIABILITIES
Amount Necessary to Retire Debt			
From Future Revenue	\$402,000.	\$417,900.00	\$ 2,000.00
			400,000.00
			\$417,900.00
ASSETS			LIABILITIES
Reserve Funds:			
Time Deposits	\$86,270.17	\$82,515.28	\$83,345.55
			2,194.62
			\$ 86,270.17
Trust Funds:			
Time Deposits	\$21,520.41	\$20,540.56	\$16,897.13
Securities	500.00	500.00	4,143.43
			22,020.41
TOTAL	\$108,290.58	\$103,555.84	\$103,555.84



TOWN OF PARIS
STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1967

	Appropriations	Other Credits	Total	ExpendituresBalances.....	
					Lapsed	Carried
GENERAL GOVERNMENT						
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 12,500.00	\$	\$ 12,500.00	\$ 12,260.93	\$ 239.07	\$
Office Expense	8,500.00	2,447.85	10,947.85	9,773.65	1,174.20	
Miscellaneous	3,000.00	4,414.87	7,414.87	4,354.58	3,060.29	
	<u>24,000.00</u>	<u>6,862.72</u>	<u>30,862.72</u>	<u>26,389.16</u>	<u>4,473.56</u>	
PROTECTION						
Traffic Patrol	800.00		800.00	805.00	(5.00)	
Police and Night Watchmen	9,000.00	28.69	9,028.69	8,969.27	59.42	
Fire Department	7,500.00	1,133.78	8,633.78	8,143.58	490.20	
Fire Station	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,719.55	280.45	
Fire Alarm System	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,326.45	173.55	
Fire Hose	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		
Remodeling Fire Station		326.92	326.92	326.92		
Hydrant Rental	13,140.00		13,140.00	12,140.00	1,000.00	
Street Lights	13,500.00	318.00	13,818.00	12,265.18	1,552.82	
Signal Lights	4,000.00		4,000.00			4,000.00
Civil Defense	800.00	422.81	1,222.81	1,178.37	44.44	
	<u>53,240.00</u>	<u>2,230.20</u>	<u>55,470.20</u>	<u>47,874.32</u>	<u>3,595.88</u>	<u>4,000.00</u>
HEALTH AND SANITATION						
Public Health Nurse	400.00		400.00	400.00		
Mental Health Program	485.00		485.00	485.00		
Health Nurse's Supplies	350.00	1.60	351.60	344.41	7.19	
Town Dump	1,500.00	88.65	1,588.65	1,175.60	413.05	
Sewer and Sewer Planning	2,000.00	62.95	2,062.95	1,884.40	178.55	
Paris Hill Water Company		5,449.35	5,449.35	5,449.35		
Water System		94,288.68	94,288.68	94,288.68		
	<u>4,735.00</u>	<u>99,891.23</u>	<u>104,626.23</u>	<u>104,027.44</u>	<u>598.79</u>	
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES						
Repair of Roads and Bridges	23,000.00	10,038.42	33,038.42	29,560.35	3,478.07	
Snow Removal	24,000.00	5,370.63	29,370.63	30,585.26	(1,214.63)	
Tarring	19,000.00	391.50	19,391.50	19,368.49	23.01	
State Aid Road Construction		2,666.00	2,666.00	2,666.00		
Town Road Improvement		7,216.67	7,216.67	7,216.67		
Sidewalks	1,000.00		1,000.00	657.79	342.21	
	<u>67,000.00</u>	<u>25,683.22</u>	<u>92,683.22</u>	<u>90,054.56</u>	<u>2,628.66</u>	
EQUIPMENT AND GASOLINE						
Highway Equipment		42,950.50	42,950.50	20,908.08		22,042.42
Gasolins		6,312.11	6,312.11	6,312.11		
Town Garage - Remodeling	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,118.84	(118.84)	
	<u>5,000.00</u>	<u>49,262.61</u>	<u>54,262.61</u>	<u>32,339.03</u>	<u>(118.84)</u>	<u>22,042.42</u>

EXHIBIT C
Cont'd.

	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Other Credits</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>.....Balances.....</u> <u>Lapsed</u>	<u>Carried</u>
WELFARE						
Town Poor	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 78.75	\$ 8,078.75	\$ 5,527.96	\$ 2,550.79	\$
Aid to Dependent Children	<u>2,000.00</u>		<u>2,000.00</u>	<u>2,070.63</u>	(70.63)	
	<u>10,000.00</u>	<u>78.75</u>	<u>10,078.75</u>	<u>7,598.59</u>	<u>2,480.16</u>	
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS						
School Administrative District						
No. 17	327,261.78		327,261.78	327,261.78		
County Tax	20,750.00		20,750.00	20,750.00		
Overlay	<u>12,353.14</u>		<u>12,353.14</u>		<u>12,353.14</u>	
	<u>360,364.92</u>		<u>360,364.92</u>	<u>348,011.78</u>	<u>12,353.14</u>	
UNCLASSIFIED						
South Paris Public Library	3,500.00	120.00	3,620.00	3,620.00		
Mumelin Memorial Library	<u>100.00</u>		<u>100.00</u>	<u>100.00</u>		
Youth Commission	12,000.00	1,883.53	13,883.53	12,942.11		941.42
Elna Disease	2,500.00	615.00	3,115.00	2,731.02		383.98
Social Security	2,500.00	2,355.17	4,855.17	4,741.15	114.02	
Insurance	2,000.00	420.85	2,420.85	2,393.45	27.40	
Interest	1,400.00	438.10	1,838.10	1,790.49	47.61	
Cure of Cemeteries	1,400.00	27.50	1,427.50	1,380.42	47.08	
Care of Public Parks	1,300.00		1,300.00	762.49	537.51	
Group Insurance	1,000.00	514.38	1,514.38	1,050.46	463.92	
Maine Publicity Bureau	300.00		300.00	300.00		
Memorial Day	250.00		250.00	248.50	1.50	
Abandoned Farms		2,711.58	2,711.58	660.00		2,051.58
Health and Accident Insurance		40.20	40.20	36.85	3.35	
Trust Fund Income		201.67	201.67	201.67		
Revaluation Program		10,000.00	10,000.00	8,100.00		1,900.00
Blister Rust Control	600.00	427.33	1,027.33	1,026.16	1.17	
Supplemental Taxes		2,682.20	2,682.20		2,682.20	
Excise Taxes		<u>38,577.78</u>	<u>38,577.78</u>	<u>30,012.45</u>	<u>8,565.33</u>	
	<u>28,550.00</u>	<u>61,015.29</u>	<u>89,565.29</u>	<u>72,097.22</u>	<u>12,491.09</u>	<u>5,276.98</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$553,189.92</u>	<u>\$245,024.02</u>	<u>\$798,213.94</u>	<u>\$728,392.10</u>	<u>\$38,502.44</u>	<u>\$31,319.40</u>

REPORT OF PARIS UTILITY DISTRICT TRUSTEES

During the year of 1967, the so-called water works and the town sewer system united under one heading and transferred from the Town of Paris to what is now known as the Paris Utility District.

This was done by having an Act written up and taken into Legislature to be voted on. Legislature passed this Act, and the Governor signed it on April 3, 1967. Then there was a Special Town meeting called, on June 22, 1967, for the townspeople to approve this Article. At that time the people of the town voted in favor of this by a vote of 339 Yes and 34 No. The same attorney, Robert B. Williamson, Jr. from Portland, who helped get this Act through Legislature, started work on all of the legal affairs to get all properties legally transferred from the Town of Paris to the Paris Utility District. This was completed and the change over was made on December 29, 1967. So now, as of January 1, 1968, everything pertaining to Town sanitary sewerage and the Town water facilities and service will be under the Paris Utility District.

Due to the way our Charter was written, all water rates for the whole Town will be the same. This will make rates on Paris Hill the same as South Paris, which will be a little less than what they were.

When the sewer system was under the Town of Paris, the taxpayer voted, each year, to raise money through taxes to maintain the system. This cannot be done any more, so the District has set up a set of rates for only the Town sewer users, just high enough to maintain existing Town sewer.

The South Paris Water Co., during the year of 1967, improved the water system by:

Installing three (3) insertion valves on mains that never before could be shut off without an interruption in service to a large section of the Village. This was done under water pressure so that we had no interruption of service to any one.

We installed 318 feet of 6" main on Oak Ave. from Shurtleff Ave., down as far as the new Bahre Apartment building.

We also installed 298 feet of $2\frac{1}{4}$ " main on Railroad Ave., from Gothic Street to Russell Street and tying to the Russell Street main, this makes a loop, as we call it, and gives a circulation so as not to have a dead end.

We also extended a new main on the Hebron Road, giving service to the people in that section. We also installed three (3) new hydrants on this main, giving good fire protection to the people in this section. The distance of this new extension is 2289 feet.

The first part of the summer, we laid a new $2\frac{1}{4}$ " main on River Street, and tied it into Barrows Street. This makes a loop in this area also.

This past summer, we installed what we call a telemetering system, to give us automatic control of our pumps and reservoir.

We also have installed a treatment system to try and stop what we call, 'red water complaints'.

In 1967, the South Paris Water Company installed:

8" mains	500 feet
6" mains	2107 feet
$2\frac{1}{4}$ " mains	625 feet
3 new hydrants	
12 new services	
4 renewed services	
49 new meters	

TRUSTEES, PARIS UTILITY DISTRICT

Lawrence Brown, chairman
Thomas Clifford, clerk
Lawrence Cushman, treasurer
Chandler Briggs
George Davis

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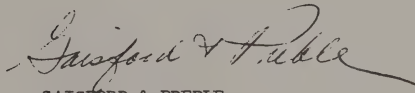
Trustees of the
Paris Utilities District
South Paris, Maine

Gentlemen:

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Paris Utilities District as of December 29, 1967 and the related Statements of Income and Expense and Acquired Surplus for the year then ended. Paris Utilities District was formed by approval of the regulatory bodies combining the assets and liabilities of the South Paris Water Company and Paris Village Corporation - Water Commission as of December 29, 1967. The above companies operated independently throughout the year and the results of their operations for the year ended December 29, 1967 are reflected separately in Exhibits "C" and "D". Exhibit "B" reflects the surplus acquired from the merging of the two companies into the Paris Utilities District.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and included such tests of the accounting records and such other procedures considered necessary in the circumstances, except that we did not verify Accounts Receivable by correspondence with the debtors.

In our opinion, subject to the qualifications as stated above, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statements of Income and Expense and Acquired Surplus present fairly the financial position of the Paris Utilities District as of December 29, 1967 and the results of their operations for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.


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PARIS UTILITIES DISTRICT
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 29, 1967

ASSETS

OPERATING PROPERTY:

Organization	\$	318.07		
Franchises and Consents		1,000.00		
Land		20,817.41		
Structures		41,206.64		
Dams and Wells		102,957.90		
Intakes and Suction Mains		1,122.05		
Purification System		1,898.08		
Electric Power Pumping Equipment		42,025.14		
Gas or Oil Pumping Equipment		2,408.90		
Reservoirs		45,265.32		
Distribution Mains		443,282.58		
Services		17,439.11		
Meters		14,064.60		
Hydrants and Fire Cisterns		21,809.75		
Other Equipment		11,771.00		
General Office Equipment		2,601.11		
Transportation Equipment		2,725.00		
Heating Plant		1,875.00		
		<u>\$774,587.66</u>		
Undistributed Cost of Property		<u>11,909.83</u>	\$762,677.83	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation			<u>133,604.21</u>	\$629,073.62

CURRENT ASSETS:

Cash	\$	4,284.03		
Accounts Receivable:				
Water Revenue	\$	7,574.25		
Sales and Jobbing		<u>1,293.78</u>	8,868.03	
Materials and Supplies			<u>9,262.31</u>	22,414.37

INVESTMENTS:

Cash - Sinking Fund				6,052.50
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OTHER ASSETS:

Unamortized Debt Discount and Expense	\$	853.09		
Deferred Regulatory Expense		<u>2,346.29</u>	<u>3,199.38</u>	

TOTAL ASSETS

\$660,739.87

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

CURRENT LIABILITIES:

Accounts Payable	\$11,187.78	
Accrued Sales Tax	<u>19.52</u>	\$ 11,207.30

BONDS PAYABLE:

4½% Coupon Bonds - Due January 1, 1977		400,000.00
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NOTES PAYABLE - BANK:

Due \$1,000.00 Annually Thru August 1, 1973	\$ 6,000.00	
Due December 29, 1969	<u>16,000.00</u>	22,000.00

RESERVE FOR SINKING FUND

6,052.50

CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION

10,997.69

FUNDED DEBT RETIRED THROUGH SURPLUS

8,000.00

CUSTOMERS' ADVANCES FOR CONSTRUCTION

1,168.50

EARNED SURPLUS (Exhibit "B")

201,313.88

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

\$660,739.87

PARIS UTILITIES DISTRICT
ANALYSIS OF ACQUIRED SURPLUS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 29, 1967

SOUTH PARIS WATER COMPANY:

Balance of Surplus, January 1, 1967

\$197,029.15

Add:

Net Income for the Year Ended December
29, 1967 (Exhibit "C")2,813.82 \$199,842.97

PARIS VILLAGE CORPORATION - WATER COMMISSION:

Balance of Surplus, January 1, 1967

\$ 3,041.97

Less:

Net Loss for the Year Ended December
29, 19671,571.06 1,470.91

BALANCE OF SURPLUS, PARIS UTILITIES DISTRICT
DECEMBER 29, 1967

\$201,313.88

PARIS UTILITIES DISTRICT
SOUTH PARIS WATER COMPANY
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 29, 1967

WATER SERVICE REVENUES:

Metered Residential Sales	\$ 1,676.36	
Flat-Rate Residential Sales	21,140.83	
Metered Commercial Sales	4,744.29	
Flat-Rate Commercial Sales	964.66	
Metered Industrial Sales	28,681.42	
Flat-Rate Industrial Sales	99.00	
Sales to Government Agencies	1,146.36	
Public Fire Protection	11,340.00	
Private Fire Protection	<u>3,103.79</u>	\$72,896.71

OPERATING EXPENSES:

Source of Supply - Operations:		
Supervision	\$ 3,141.00	
Supplies and Expense	<u>62.04</u>	\$ 3,203.04

Purification System - Operations:		
Supplies and Expense		654.67

Pumping System - Operations:		
Pumping Labor	\$ 1,410.25	
Power Purchases	11,812.59	
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense	<u>59.91</u>	13,282.75

Distribution Expense - Operations:		
Distribution Labor	\$ 147.50	
Removing, Setting and Testing Meters	40.43	
Inspecting Customers Installations	<u>71.90</u>	259.83

Pumping Expense - Maintenance:		
Repairs to Pumping Buildings and Fixtures	\$ 270.25	
Repairs to Pumping Equipment	<u>71.75</u>	342.00

Distribution Expense - Maintenance:		
Repairs to Reservoirs	\$ 1,275.57	
Repairs to Distribution Mains	231.23	
Repairs to Services	1,932.03	
Repairs to Meters	6.40	
Repairs to Hydrants	<u>217.50</u>	3,662.73

PARIS UTILITIES DISTRICT
SOUTH PARIS WATER COMPANY
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE - Concluded
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 29, 1967

OPERATING EXPENSES - Continued:

General Maintenance:	
General Repairs	\$ 3,684.79

Customers Accounting and Collecting	
Meter Reading	92.85

General and Miscellaneous Expense:	
Salaries & Expense of General Officers	\$ 1,804.41
Salaries & Expense of General Office	
Employees	2,908.80
General Office Supplies & Expense	499.36
Miscellaneous General Expense	2,121.48
Insurance	336.00
Transportation Expense	1,052.18
Store Expense	2,201.24
Employees Welfare Expense	<u>1,020.11</u>
Total Operating Expenses	<u>11,943.58</u>
	\$37,126.24

Depreciation	<u>11,481.82</u>	<u>\$48,608.06</u>
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OPERATING PROFIT	\$24,288.65
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OTHER REVENUE:

Income from Merchandise and Jobbing	\$ 1,709.89	
Interest Revenue	<u>52.50</u>	<u>1,762.39</u>
		\$26,051.04

OTHER EXPENSES:

Interest on Long-Term Debt	\$16,763.47	
Amortization of Debt Discount and Expense	94.79	
Contractual Appropriations of Income	6,000.00	
Miscellaneous Deductions from Income	52.50	
Regulatory Commission Expenses	<u>326.46</u>	<u>23,237.22</u>

NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 29, 1967 (Exhibit "B")	<u>\$ 2,813.82</u>
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PARIS UTILITIES DISTRICT
PARIS VILLAGE CORPORATION - WATER COMMISSION
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 29, 1967

WATER SERVICE REVENUES:

Flat-Rate Residential Sales	\$3,306.92	
Metered Commercial Sales	106.61	
Private Fire Protection	<u>800.00</u>	\$4,213.53

OPERATING EXPENSES:

Pumping System - Operations:	
Power Purchased	\$ 614.97

Pumping Expenses - Maintenance:

Repairs to Pumping Equipment	1,507.58
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General and Miscellaneous Expense:

Salaries & Expense of General Officers	\$720.00	
Salaries & Expense of General Office Employees	211.20	
General Office Supplies and Expense	54.80	
Miscellaneous General Expense	98.10	
Employees Welfare Expense	<u>31.68</u>	<u>1,115.78</u>
Total Operating Expenses		\$3,238.33

Depreciation	<u>514.09</u>	<u>3,752.42</u>
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OPERATING PROFIT	\$ 461.11
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OTHER EXPENSES:

Interest on Long-Term Debt	\$ 332.17	
Contractual Appropriations of Income	<u>1,700.00</u>	<u>2,032.17</u>

NET LOSS FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 29, 1967 (Exhibit "B")	<u>(\$1,571.06)</u>
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WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

March 1 and 2, 1968

To Fred L. Fortier, Jr., a Constable of Town of Paris:

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Paris, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Town Office, in the Masonic Building, South Paris, on Friday, the 1st. day of March, 1968 A. D. at nine o'clock (9:00) in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose by secret ballot one selectman, who shall be an assessor, to serve for one year; two selectmen, who shall be assessors, to serve for three years; a town clerk, to serve for one year; two directors for School Administrative District #17, to serve for three years; two trustees for the Paris Utility District, to serve for three years; a chief engineer for the Fire Department, to serve for one year; a first assistant engineer and a second assistant engineer, both to serve for one year.

NOTICE:

At eight o'clock (8:00) P. M. the polls will close for the election of officers for 1968 and the meeting will be adjourned until one o'clock (1:00) in the afternoon of March 2, 1968 and will reconvene at the Association Hall, South Paris for action on the remaining articles.

Art. 3. To hear the report of the Crocker and Bray funds.

Art. 4. To see what compensation the town officers will receive for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay the town officers salaries for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$13,500.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay office expenses for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$8,000.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay miscellaneous bills for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2,500.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay for police service, traffic patrol and night watchman for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$9,000.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the fire department for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$7,500.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay for maintenance of the fire station for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2,000.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay for the maintenance of the fire alarm system for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,500.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of fire hose for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,000.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate toward purchase of a communication system for the fire department.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2,750.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for hydrant rental for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$12,545.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the following year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$15,000.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Civilian Defense and Public Safety for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,000.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of the dump for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,500.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of sewers for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$315.

Art. 19. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$500.00 for Public Health Nursing in Paris. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health for public services.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$400.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for supplies for the public health nurse for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$350.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of roads and bridges for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$23,000.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$24,000.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for tarring roads and streets for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$15,000.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for sidewalks for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,000.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$6,000.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Aid to Dependent Children for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2,000.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay interest on temporary loans for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,400.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Social Security for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2,600.

Art. 29. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Group Insurance for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$800.

Art. 30. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for insurance for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2,000.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be used in observance of Memorial Day.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$250.

Art. 32. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 91, Section 108, of the Revised Statutes of 1954.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$300.

Art. 33. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$400.

Art. 34. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to help defray the cost of care and maintenance in the Riverside Cemetery.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,000.

Art. 35. To see what sum of money, if any the town will vote to raise and appropriate to combat Dutch Elm Disease for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2,500.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to cooperate with the Maine Forest Service and Federal Government in the control of white pine blister rust, in accordance with Title 12 M. R. S. A. Ch. 213, Subchapter IV.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS TO DO SO.

Art. 37. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of public parks for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$1,000.

Art. 38. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the South Paris Public Library for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$5,500.

Art. 39. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of Hamlin Memorial library for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$100.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$606.25 to help defray the cost of mental health services available to the residents of the town through the Oxford County Mental Health Association.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS TO DO SO.

Art. 41. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to complete payment of the contract for revaluation of the town.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$7,000.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be used by the Norway-Paris Recreation Commission for the ensuing year.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$11,000.

Art. 43. To see what sum the town will raise and appropriate for the State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 44, 49 or 50, Chap. 23, R. S. 1954 as amended.

BUDGETT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$2666.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 to be paid to the Androscoggin Home Health Service, Inc., to help defray the cost of home nurse service and possibly physio-therapy in the home for the residents of the town.

Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 30, Ch. 239 Sec. 4951 to 4957 inclusive, Subsection 3 of Sec. 4973 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes of 1967, authorizing and directing the Board of Selectmen to appoint members of a Planning Board & Board of Appeals in accordance with the provisions of said sections.

Art. 46. To see if the town will vote to discontinue that part of Western Avenue, which was replaced by the new location of Western Avenue; but preserving the rights-of-way that now exist for utilities which have facilities legally located within said way for the purpose of maintaining, repairing or replacing it's installations within said way.

Art. 47. To see if the town will accept two parcels of land described in Deed from Paris Manufacturing Co. to the Town of Paris; this land having been used for the new location of Western Avenue.

Art. 48. To see if the town will vote to accept two parcels of land as described in deeds from Helen Morton etals to the Inhabitants of the Town of Paris; this being the remaining parcels of land between Pine and Main Streets owned by said Helen Morton etals.

Art. 49. To see if the town will vote to accept the following proposed by-law for the Town of Paris:

"When any dog is permitted or allowed to roam at large without being accompanied by the owner thereof, or when any dog causes a nuisance by barking, or causing damage to persons or property, the owner thereof or persons having custody and control of said dog, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$10. for each offense."

Art. 50. To see if the town will vote to adopt the provisions of Title 17, Sec. 2851-2852-2853 and 2854 M.R.S.A. 102 Leg. on dangerous buildings.

Art. 51. To see if the town will fix a date when taxes shall be due and payable, and to see if the town will fix a rate of interest to be charged on taxes unpaid after said date.

Art. 52. To see if the town will vote to pay the premium on the bonds of the collector and treasurer.

Art. 53. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen, in behalf of the town, to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes thereon, on such terms as they may deem advisable and execute quit-claim deeds for such property; but before such sale, they shall first give the previous owner or mortgagee first refusal; and then give public notice of sale and solicit sealed bids. If not then sold by bid after advertising, the Selectmen shall be allowed to sell at their discretion.

Art. 54. To see what sum of money the town will vote to transfer from net surplus to reduce the tax rate for 1968.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$39,000.

Art. 55. To see what sum of money the town will vote to transfer from the 1968 Excise Tax receipts to reduce the tax rate for 1968.

BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS \$30,000.

Registration of voters will be accepted through
February 24th., 1968

Dated at Paris this 22nd. day of January, 1968

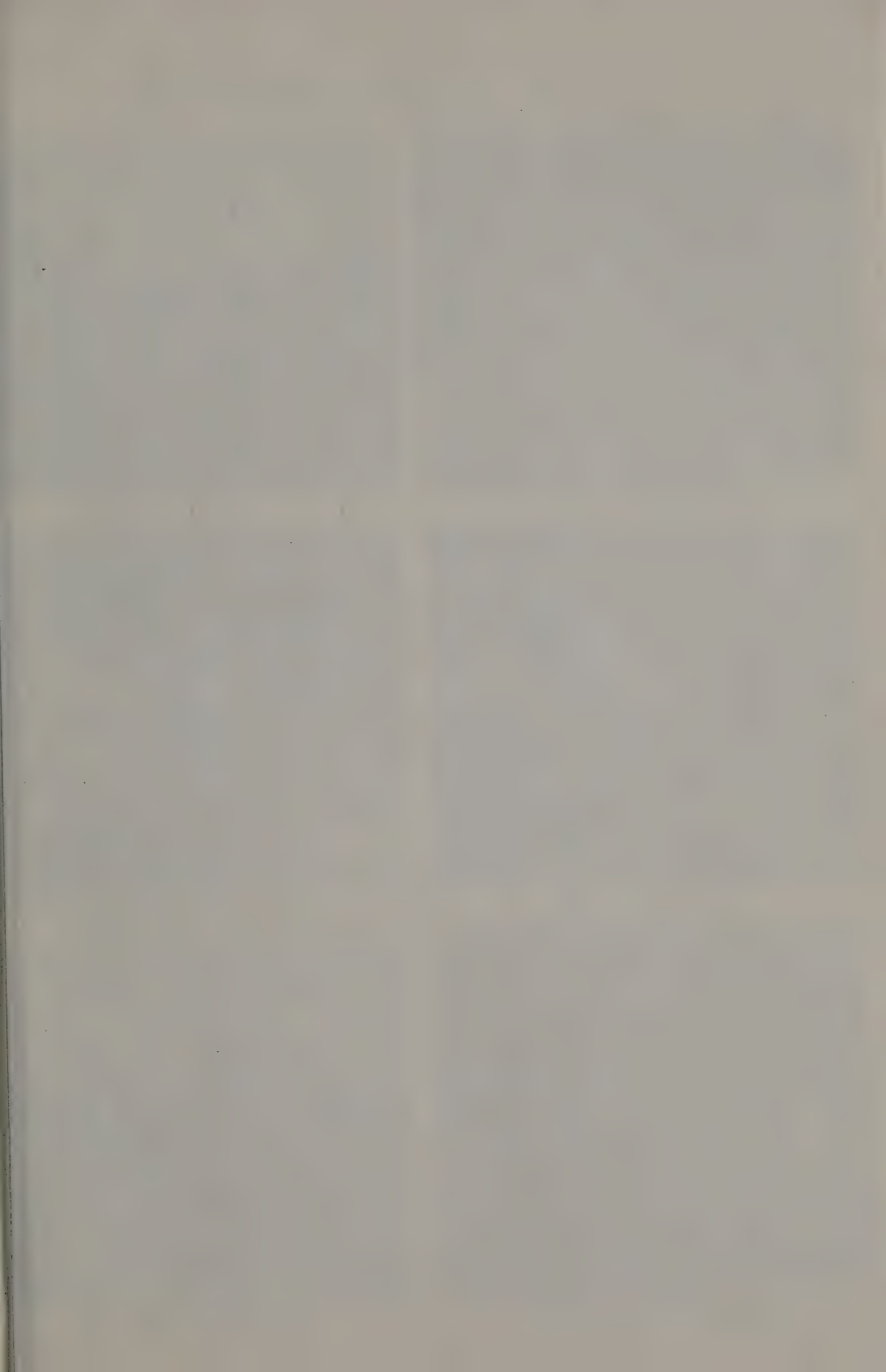
Respectfully submitted,
Francis S. Martin
Albert S. Carey
Frank N. Strobeck
G. Dewey Thayer

Selectmen of Paris.

Smokey's friends don't play with matches.



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KEEP MAINE GREEN IN '68"**



NORWAY-PARIS RECREATION COMMISSION



**Skating for All Ages at the Rink
on the School Grounds**

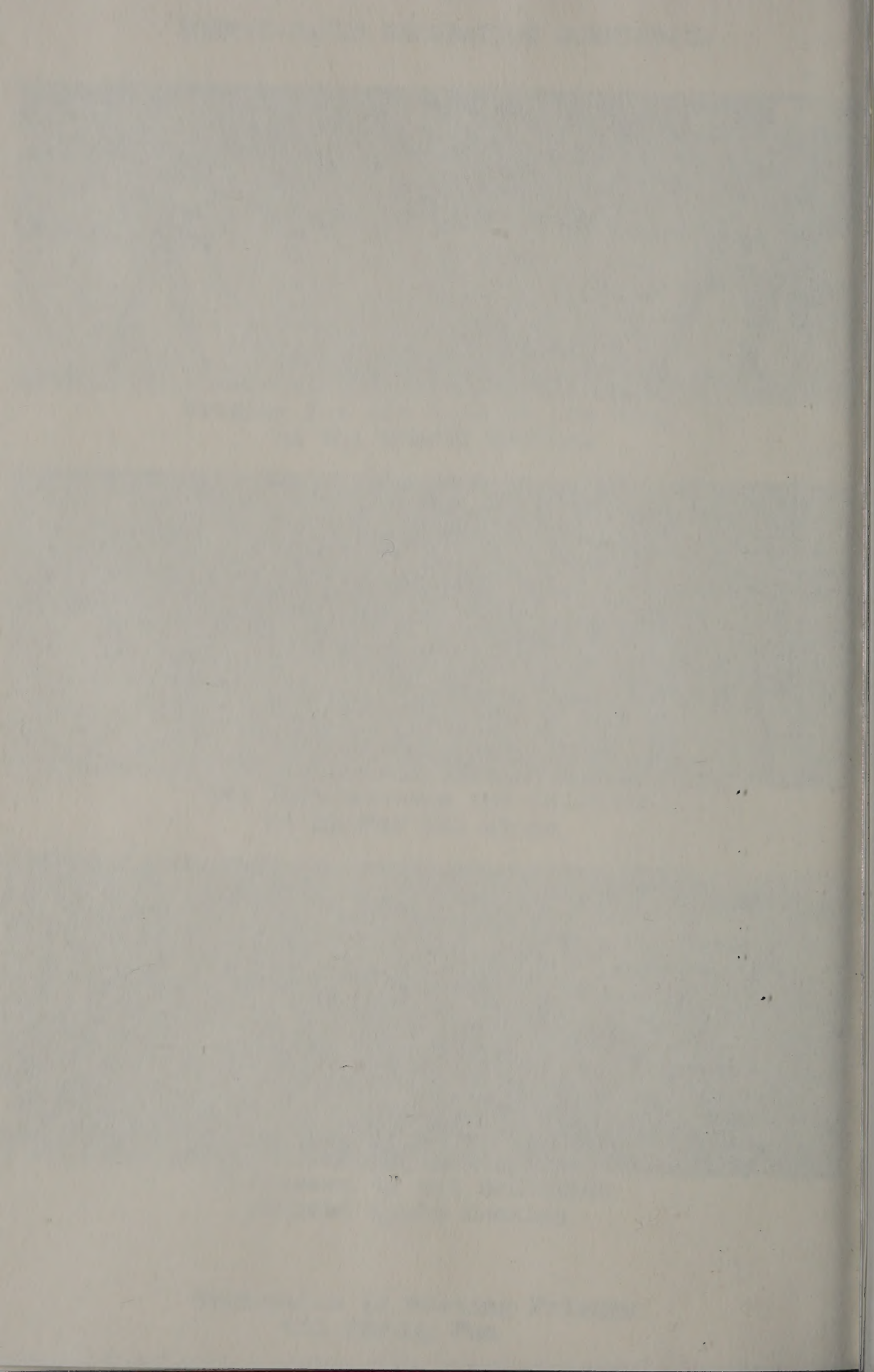


**Ski Instructions for Children
at No-Par Ski Slope**



**Halloween is not Halloween
without Apple Dunking**

**Recreation is Meeting Friends
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